

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

DISTRICT OF NEVADA

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PRIME HEALTHCARE SERVICES –
RENO, LLC d/b/a SAINT MARY'S
REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER,

Case No. 3:21-cv-00226-MMD-CLB

ORDER

Plaintiff,

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HOMETOWN HEALTH PROVIDERS INSURANCE COMPANY, INC., *et al.*

Defendants.

13 Plaintiff Prime Healthcare Services – Reno, LLC, d/b/a Saint Mary’s Regional
14 Medical Center, sued Defendant Hometown Health Management Company (“HHMC”),
15 among other related entities, for failure to pay or underpaying for medical services that
16 Plaintiff provided to Defendant HHMC’s insured members. Before the Court is Plaintiff’s
17 motion to drop Defendant HHMC from this case under Federal Rule of Civil Procedure
18 21. (ECF No. 42 (“Motion”).)

19 Though they have not yet filed a response to the Motion, Defendants¹ implicitly
20 agree that Plaintiff's Motion should be granted. Defendants filed a motion to dismiss. (ECF
21 No. 34.) In pertinent part, Defendants assert in their motion to dismiss that Defendant
22 HHMC is not a proper defendant in this case. (*Id.* at 21.)

23 Considering the parties' apparent agreement, and because the Court finds there
24 is no barrier to dismissing HHMC now, the Court will grant the Motion. See Fed. R. Civ.
25 P. 21.

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²⁰ ¹In addition to HHMC, Hometown Health Providers Insurance Company, Inc., and Hometown Health Plan, Inc. (ECF Nos. 34 at 1, 41 at 2.)

It is therefore ordered that Plaintiff's motion to drop Defendant HHMC from this case (ECF No. 42) is granted.

It is further ordered that Defendant Hometown Health Management Company is dismissed from this case.

DATED THIS 6th Day of August 2021.



MIRANDA M. DU
CHIEF UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE